

Quotes for your approval

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Three quotes for your approval in NRs going out tomorrow/Monday. Full NRs are attached.

Our NR on the call for proposal for groups to assist with pardons:

"A criminal record is a millstone around the neck of too many Canadians who've served their sentences and are living law abiding lives. Helping more of them obtain a record suspension removes a major barrier that stands in the way of fully reentering society. This is just one of the many ways that we're making our communities safer through a justice system that's more effective and fair for all."

PHAC NR on the renewal of border measures:

"The safety and security of Canadians is our government's top priority. As we fight this wave of the pandemic, we will maintain our measured and responsible policies at the border. We will continue to take decisive action to secure our borders and protect people, because that's what Canadians expect."

CBSA NR on firearms seizure at the Coutts border crossing:

"We're taking action to keep Canadians safe from gun violence. A central part of this is strong action at the border, to stop guns from coming into Canada. I want to thank the men and women of the CBSA for their quick and decisive work to keep guns off our streets and protect Canadians."

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